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Notice the Difference Between a March Price and a July Reduction:

$35 SUITS REDUCED TO - - - $25.
$9 PANTS do. - - - $6.

Having Bought an extra large line of FALL TWEEDS and SUITINGS, we have determined to clear out our old Stock at less than cost FOR 30 DAYS ONLY. Now is your time for a Cheap Suit. We mean what we say. An inspection solicited.

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THE FASHIONABLE TAILORS,
GOVERNMENT STREET.

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TO AGENTS THE CANADIAN NEEDLE Co., 46 and 48 Front Street East, Toronto get up the Neatest, most Complete and Best Selling Needle Package in America. Send 25 Cents for Sample of New No. 4, finished in fine Plush. Particulars sent when stamps are enclosed for reply.

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TO RENT.

FOR RENT.—A neatly furnished seven-roomed house, situated in a desirable part of the city. All conveniences. For particulars apply at the TIMES office. au7 1w

TO RENT.—To a responsible party, the Dining Rooms and Bed Rooms of the Arlington House, Kamloops, will be rented on favorable terms. For further particulars enquire of the proprietor, or at this office. july25 6t

FOR RENT.—A Restaurant, and 15 rooms, doing a good business in connection with a Hotel; a good chance for a man and wife who thoroughly understand the business. For particulars apply at this office. my4

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A seven roomed House and two Lots with Outbuildings and Garden, on the corner of Pandora and Blanchard. For particulars apply on premises july16 1m

FOR SALE, CHEAP—A Lot, with a substantial House thereon containing nine rooms, including Pantry and Bath Room, situated on corner Oswego and Simcoe streets, James Bay. For particulars apply on the premises after 6 p. m. july16 2w

FOR SALE.—A desirable Farm of Three Hundred Acres, eight miles from town. Lake frontage. Particulars at J. J. Austin's, Bastion street. july15 tf

FOR SALE.—An established Hotel business with a paying trade centrally situated within a short distance of the Post Office. A good investment for a good man with CASH. Address, for particulars, "HOTEL," TIMES office.

TEAS, WINES AND SPIRITS.

JOHN BOYD,
IMPORTER AND WHOLESALE DEALER
in Teas, Wines and Spirits. Finest Scotch Whiskies, specially selected for their excellent qualities, are unsurpassed in the Province.
P. O. 483 YATES STREET. feb4mly

MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

VICTORIA-COLUMBIA Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., B. C. R.—Regular Communication the first Thursday in each month, at Masonic Temple corner Douglas and Fisguard streets.
mar2 12m R. B. ESNOUF, Secretary.

ST. ANDREWS and CALEDONIAN Society meets in their hall, Broughton street, between Government and Broad streets, on the FIRST FRIDAY of every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join.
ROBERT MITCHELL, Secretary.

AN ENTERTAINMENT IS GIVEN AT TEMPERANCE Hall every Saturday evening. Good Temperance speakers and Musical Selections, with Recitations, forming a good programme. The Blue Ribbon Band will be in attendance. All are cordially invited. Chair taken at 7:30 o'clock precisely. S. GRAY, President.

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

Removal of Thistles.

Owners and Agents of property within the City limits are hereby notified to remove Thistles which may be growing upon their lots, otherwise the provisions of the Thistle By-Law will be enforced.

By order of the Mayor and Council.
JAMES D. ROBINSON, C. M. C.
City Hall, 14th July, 1887. july15

Dominion Government Savings Bank

Depositors are requested to present their Pass Books at the Office on Government Street for insertion of the accrued interest at the 30th June, 1887.

JOHN GRAHAM,
Assistant Receiver-General.
Victoria, July 30, 1887. jul30 1m

FOR SALE BY TENDER

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned at his store, Yates street, until Monday, 1st August, at 4 p.m., for the purchase of the whole or part of the property adjoining Mr. Booth's on the east side of the old Esquimalt Road, known as the Fire Department Picnic Ground. The E. & N. Railway runs through the property.
The Trustees reserve the right to reject all or any tender.
By order of the Trustees.
july16 td (Signed) J. SEARS.

Jersey Flannels,
In Fancy Stripes & Plain Colors, 29 inches wide,
20 CTS. PER YARD.

TWO CASES OF
CORSETS
OPEN TO-DAY,
From 75c. to $3 per pair

—ALSO—
A FULL LINE OF
BUSTLES

260 YARDS OF
CRINKLED MULLS,
In Pink, Cream, Sky & Beige, 36 inches Wide,
20 CENTS PER YD.

Argyle House
Clarence Block, Douglas Street
WM. O'REILLY, Manager.
july25 1m D & W

COME AND SEE!
The undersigned has imported at great expense a Grand
Jubilee Orchestran!
The only one which has ever been in B. C. This magnificent instrument works automatically, and is now set up in the Dancing Pavilion at the
Gorge Pleasure Grounds
Where parties can trip the "light fantastic" every day and evening, Sundays excepted.
WM. MARSHALL,
July 13 Proprietor.

TO THE LADIES!
We wish to let you know where you can get
THE CHEAPEST AND BEST
Mason Fruit Jars, Jelly Tumblers, Butter Crocks, Pickle Jars, &c,
N. B.—A full line of CROCKERY and GLASSWARE always on hand.
GEO. POWELL & CO.,
Cheapside, DeCosmos' Block, Government St.
Victoria March 12 1887.

FOR SALE.
The business known as
The Victoria Gardens,
Victoria Arm. Satisfactory reasons for selling. Particulars can be ascertained on application to
jly14-1m B. WREDE.

REMOVAL.
S. C. BURRIS, ARCHITECT,
Has Removed to Corner Government and Broughton Streets, Rooms, 7, 8 and 9 Hamley Building. jy10

A. W. JONES,
Real Estate and Financial Agent.
AGENCY OF THE
Canada Life Assurance Co'y.
Two doors from Telegraph office, Government street. jy2

THE ATTENTION OF
TOURISTS AND VISITORS
As well as that of the general public, is directed to the
VICTORIA
Transfer Co.'s
LIVERY and
HACK RATES.

This Company have the Largest and Finest Stables and the Best Stock of Horses and Vehicles in the City.

A Special Reduction in Livery charges is made, for those desiring a short drive after Six in the evening.

☞ Hacks supplied any hour of the day or night at reasonable and uniform rates.
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MUST BE SOLD!
Salt Spring Island,
Equi-distant between Victoria, Nanaimo and Vancouver.

245 Acres in all of A 1 Soil, new Buildings, Crops, Horses, Cattle, Farming Utensils complete; close to Church and Schools.
A man with family can go right in and settle down.

PRICE $6,500.
Apply to ARTHUR ROBINSON, on the premises, or to
RAND BROS.,
REAL ESTATE BROKERS,
FORT STREET, VICTORIA.
jul18 1m D&W

Eureka Stables,
PANDORA AVENUE.
Hacks, Hansoms and Livery Stables.
New Buggies, Good Driving and Saddle Horses constantly on hand
Special attention paid to Boarding Horses.
TELEPHONE NO. 30.
L. C. McADAMS,
july14 1m Proprietor.

Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company.

LAND DEPARTMENT.

Notice to Claimants under the "Act Relating to the Island Railway, the Graving Dock and Railway Lands of the Province."

The Company is now prepared to issue Conveyances of Title to all Claimants entitled to the same under the provisions of the above Act, and who have fulfilled the requirements of the British Columbia "Land Act, 1884."

R. DUNSMUIR,
President.
JOHN TRUTCH,
Land Commissioner.
Victoria, B. C., July 25th, 1887. july26

BUSINESS CHANGE.

MR. WILLIAM CROFT having purchased my interest in the ESQUIMALT HOTEL, I beg to thank my former patrons, and respectfully request a continuance of their patronage to my successor JOSEPH MILLER.

TENDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned until 12 o'clock at noon on Saturday, the 6th August, for the erection of a two-story dwelling for Robert Erskine, Esq., King's Road.
The right to reject any or all tenders is reserved.
jul30 td E. H. FISHER, Architect.

TRAINED NURSES.

TWO HOSPITAL TRAINED "SISTERS" ARE now in this city and prepared to
Nurse All Kinds of Cases, Medical, Surgical, Mental and Midwifery.
Charges will be suited to the means of the persons requiring their services.
Address the NURSING SISTERS, P. O. Victoria. my31

TO CREDITORS.

ALL PARTIES HAVING CLAIMS against the late C. Ragazzoni are hereby notified to send the same to Mrs. C. Ragazzoni, Yates street, or to A. Bossi, corner of Yates and Broad streets, on or before the 1st day of August next.
jul27 A. BOSSI, Executor.

Teacher Wanted.

A DULY QUALIFIED TEACHER wanted for Prairie Public School. Applications to be sent to ROBERT McKEE,
july15 Secretary of Trustees.

C. P. R. STEAMERS

On their Way to the Pacific Round the Horn.

Effect of the Long and Short Haul Clause—The Inter-State Law.

—The San Francisco *Bulletin* of the 28th ult., in referring to the continental tea trade, says: When the announcement was made, some few weeks ago, that the traffic arrangement existing between the Pacific Coast Steamship Company and the Canadian Pacific was shortly to terminate, it was generally believed by the railroad people that the efforts of the northern line to disturb California freight rates would shortly cease. Governor Perkins, it was said, declined to continue any longer a certain contract which he had entered into with the Canadian Pacific, and by means of which the new overland line was enabled to make excessively low rates in competition with the American lines, and these, by a roundabout way, to points directly in the territory of the big transcontinental railroads. The immense quantities of freight which General Traffic Manager Olds expected would come over the Canadian Pacific when once the long and short haul clause of the interstate law was in operation was the inducement which persuaded the Pacific Coast steamer line to grant such low terms.

THE INTERSTATE LAW.

Once, however, the Interstate Commissioners' decision on this knotty point was made known, Governor Perkins realized that his hopes, as well as those of the Canadian Pacific, were not destined to realization. His communication to Geo. Olds, giving notice of his intention of terminating the contract on existing terms, followed almost immediately. The managers of the Canadian Pacific, however, had foreseen such a possibility, and, like clever business men had taken measures to guard against their total exclusion from the Pacific coast trade, which would undoubtedly have followed increased charges by the steamer company. About three months ago a Canadian Pacific agent went to Antwerp and purchased there six large and handsome steamers, the property of a large shipping firm which had recently gone insolvent. These steamers were used in the trade between Antwerp and Mediterranean ports, and were sumptuously fitted up besides being of first-class build and speed. The Canadian Pacific agent secured the whole fleet, and two of them laden with a cargo of fancy merchandise, are now on their way to this city by way of Cape Horn. On their arrival the Canadian Pacific will be practically independent of the Pacific Coast or any other steamship company, will be able to quote whatever rates it pleases to any point on its lines, and will undoubtedly be in a most favorable position to handle California as well as Pacific coast business.

HANDSOME STEAMERS.

Jacob Bergmann, of Davis Bros., Toklas & Co., of Sutter street, said in conversation with a reporter, that he had heard of the line during his recent visit to Europe. The steamers, he said, were a little larger than those of the Oregon Railway and Navigation Co. He could not say to which portion of the coast the new steamers would trade, his information not extending that far. The two steamers were loading at Antwerp when he left, and there is an effort being made to secure cargoes for the rest. There can be no doubt, however, but that the steamers will trade between San Diego and Vancouver in the direct interests of the Canadian Pacific. They cannot, of course, unless entered in the name of an American firm, do any interport business, nor interfere with the passenger traffic between this city and Portland or Los Angeles, but undoubtedly just as soon as the steamers are put on, the Canadian Pacific will make more strenuous efforts than ever to secure a share of the Pacific Coast business.

THE TEA TRADE.

The latest statistical reports from Yokahama show that the trans-Pacific tea trade is gradually growing in volume, and that it now exceeds by many millions of pounds the shipments made to New York by the Suez Canal. Gradually the trans-Pacific and transcontinental routes have grown in favor until now the combined shipments to the United States and Canada far exceed in volume those reaching there by the Suez Canal. The new steamer line of the Canadian Pacific is destined to reduce very considerably the residum now remaining for the contrasted export figures, for the present figures show not only an increase in the total of trans-Pacific shipments, but also a fast falling off in the shipments by British steamers to Canada. The total amount of tea transported during the present season to the United States and Canada is 18,418,448 pounds, an increase over the corresponding period of last year of 1,365,227 pounds. Of this large total only 4,725,554 pounds reached the United States and Canada by the Suez Canal. Of the amounts shipped to New York 5,650,682 pounds reached there across the continent and 3,411,860 pounds by the Suez Canal. In 1886 the transcontinental shipments amounted to 4,211,422 pounds, as against 2,505,741 pounds which arrived by the Suez Canal

CANADIAN PACIFIC COMPETITION.

It is interesting to notice the accounts of the Canadian Pacific shipments. By the initial steamer, the Abyssinia, there were 1,809,628 pounds for the United States, while in the second steamer, the Parthia, which left Yokahama on June 20th, there were 1,690,345 pounds for U. S. ports, a very good showing it would seem for the Canadian line. The Canadian Pacific's opposition is, of course, bringing down freights. The Oceanic's cargo was taken at 2 cents, while that of the Rio de Janeiro was taken at 1¾ cts. This same rate is in force for the Gaelic, which leaves on the 20th, while for the Canadian Pacific's steamer, Port Augusta, which left Yokahama on the 13th inst., the rate was 1½ cents to overland cities.

Cruelty to Animals.

Three calves that arrived by the Sound steamer on Saturday night were permitted to remain on the wharf until Monday morning without food and only with brackish water to drink.

Good Investments.

We have several FIRST CLASS BUSINESSES for sale, and those wishing to invest in Victoria should first call on us. PICKERING & Co., Fort street, box 634.

Consignees.

Per the Starr: W Eckert, A J Rowbotham, Yee Yuen & Co, A W Wilson, Mathew, B & T, Angus & G, W Dixon, H Cooley.

NEWS OF THE WORLD.

Condensed into Brief and Readable Paragraphs.

General Boulanger wants Ferry to apologize or fight.

The West Havens Island lighthouse, N. S., has been destroyed by fire.

Under the Crimes Act all the counties in Ireland except Louth have been proclaimed.

The insurgents in Afghanistan have blocked the roads between Candahar and India.

Fires are raging fiercely along the St. Clair and Michigan Central Railway and have burned miles of tamarac swamp.

A fire in Essen's bakery, Chicago, on Friday, killed or injured all of five families.

During a heavy thunder storm Saturday night, a farmer named Peter Wall was struck and killed by lightning.

Hugh Ryan is in Ottawa. He says the Red River R. will be completed late in the fall. Nothing is known of injunction proceedings.

Lord Boyle has resigned his seat in the Northwest Council and in consequence an election will be held in Alberta this year.

The story of the reported engagement of the eldest daughter of the Prince of Wales to the Duke Michael of Russia is again revived.

A new halfpenny evening paper is to be started in London; Liberal Home Rule in politics and under the editorship of Mr. T. P. O'Connor, M. P.

Chas. H. Reed, Guiteau's counsel, has been pronounced insane. A curious fatality has attended every person who was engaged on Guiteau's side.

Alfred Sowrey, for the murder of his sweetheart, was hanged on Monday at Lancaster, Eng. He made a desperate resistance, and was carried to the scaffold.

Russian peasants are immigrating in enormous numbers to Western Siberia where free pastoral and arable lands can be procured. An agricultural crisis is threatened.

Mr. Michael Davitt and his wife attended a meeting at Bodyke on Sunday, and presented money and medals to a number of girls who had resisted the police during the recent evictions.

The report that Russian agents are fostering a republican movement in Bulgaria is confirmed by reliable advices. The anxieties of the Bulgarian Government are consequently increased.

The principal meeting of the South Renfrew campaign was held at Arnprior Saturday evening. The contest between McIntyre and Ferguson is expected to be a close one.

It is rumored that the Duke of Marlborough is to be shortly married to an American girl, who has consented to overlook his past unsavory reputation for the sake of the strawberry leaves.

Miss Taylor, daughter of Mr. C. C. Taylor, Custom House, Toronto, died last week from injuries received in consequence of her clothing catching fire while cooking.

Ontario crop reports are by no means so favorable as they were in the early part of the season. The long continued drought has done great damage and the yield of cereals will be a low average.

The city of Peshawur, in the Northwest part of India, in the Punjab, is infested with cholera of the worst type. Three thousand deaths from the disease occurred during July.

Jay Gould's son George says: "There is no truth in the report that father is in the American-Chinese bank, and I cannot imagine where the story originated. We have no interests in China, and we have all we can attend to in this country."

Geo. W. Whetstein, furniture dealer, Bridgport, Conn., shot his wife three times, then pointed the pistol at his mouth and shot himself, killing both instantly. He was 70, and his wife 30 years of age.

Mrs. Lillie Schlimmier, aged 16 years, was shot down on a street of Jersey City on the 1st by her youthful husband, because he could not get her to live with him. The parents in consenting to the marriage had agreed that the young couple should not live together for two years.

A number of fanatics have been arrested in Spain who, believing that the end of the world is at hand, lighted a huge bonfire and throwing their clothes into the flames danced in a state of nudity round the fire. The leader of the sect is a woman of Torrox, who declares the Virgin appeared to her and had ordered her to preach a new gospel.

COAST NOTES.

Brief Paragraphs from Many Places on the Pacific Coast.

Seattle is out of debt.

Arizona produced 16,000,000 lbs. of copper last year.

All the timber land in Tulare county, Cal., is being gobbled for speculators.

Large quantities of bituminous rock are being shipped from San Luis Obispo.

G. S. Dicus and J. G. Jones of Vina have this season dried 100,000 pounds of apricots.

Pasadena claims to be laying artificial stone sidewalks at the rate of one mile a week.

Jos. Vipond was run over and killed by a coal car at Carbonado, W. T., last Wednesday.

Tacoma's debt is $11,798.13, which is estimated by the *News* to be $1 per head of the population.

The jail of King county, W.T., is overcrowded and larger quarters are an imperative necessity.

Miss Sabina Page has been reappointed Superintendent of the Indian school on the Umatilla reservation.

The Columbia river has gone down enough so that the lately submerged docks are again in sight.

The Santa Cruz *Sentinel* declares that the city loses $10,000 per year by not imposing a license on the sale of liquor.

Yuba county has over 50,000 acres of land growing wheat and barley, while she has only 165 acres planted to grape vines.

According to the railroad survey Santa Barbara is 520 miles from San Francisco, by way of Newhall, and 110 miles from Los Angeles.

Choice city real estate in Los Angeles has reached $3000 per foot; in San Bernardino $1100 per foot; in Riverside $500 per front foot.

The Portland Council has adopted a rule requiring railroad solicitors to pay a license fee of $15 per quarter and wear a big metalic badge.

The salmon run in Alaska is as much greater than usual this year as that in California, Oregon and Washington Territory is smaller than usual.

For a fine lasting chew "Escort" and "Kentucky Smile" chewing tobaccos have no equals. Sold everywhere. J. B. Pace Tobacco Co., Richmond, Va.

EUROPEAN DISPATCHES

Details of Boulanger-Ferry Duel—Fight at 20 Paces.

A Report About the Pacific Steamship Subsidy.

MUST HAVE BLOOD.

PARIS, August 2.—The seconds of ex-Premier Ferry and those of Boulanger have decided a duel is necessary.

Boulanger's seconds publish the report of what they say transpired at the conference between them and the seconds of Ferry. The report is in substance as follows: Gen. Boulanger desires a serious reparation, one proportionate to the gravity of Ferry's affront. On this account he proposed that the combatants exchange shots until one was hit, the choice of distance to be left to the seconds of Ferry. These conditions being accepted, Boulanger's seconds agreed to be content with an exchange of shots between the principals at twenty paces without any word of command. Considering this proposal to embody the extreme limit of General Boulanger's formal instructions, his seconds did not feel authorized to make any further proposition. Ferry's seconds would only accept a duel at twenty-five paces, with a single exchange of shots, the fire to be opened at a word of command. Thereupon as the offended party has the right to dictate the conditions of a duel without being obliged to submit to the terms dictated by the adversary's seconds, Boulanger's seconds withdrew from the affair.

AQUATIC.

LONDON, Aug. 2.—Bubear, the oarsman, it is announced will come to England immediately to prepare for his race. He has agreed to row in answer to Gaudaur's challenge for the championship of England. Neither Bubear nor Gaudaur will go to Australia.

AMERICAN NEWS.

SUBSIDY TO BE GIVEN.

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—The government has decided to subsidize the Canadian Pacific route for the transportation of the British trans-Pacific mails.

THE SECOND TEA STEAMER.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—The steamer Monmouthshire, from China and Japan, with a cargo of the new crop of tea, consigned to Carter Hawley & Co., arrived at quarantine this a. m. She left Yokahama in an ocean race with the steamer Glenshiel, which arrived last week.

INCREASED IMMIGRATION.

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—The immigration of the past month was exceeded only by that of one July on record. At Castle Garden during July 27,844 people were landed, against 24,434 last year. Up to to-day there have been landed at Castle Garden since 1st January 240,499 persons, and during the same period last year the number was 173,411.

MINERS FOR ANTHRACITE.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Aug. 2.—A movement which may eventually exercise a sensible effect upon labor in this region will have its inauguration to-day, a party of forty picked miners, under the charge of traveling passenger agent Potts, of Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway, will leave here via the Pennsylvania R. R. for Anthracite, Alberta, where they will be employed in the Anthracite Coal Co.'s mines recently opened in that region. Other parties will follow as soon as they can be organized.

PROVINCIAL COURT.

(Before E. Johnson, Q. C., S. M.)

Tom, a Nittinaht, and Charley, an Ahousett, were charged with wounding George W. Martin and Henry M. Fox on the banks of the Majin river on the 24th ult.

Constable Lewis appeared as interpreter for the Indians. The prosecution was conducted by Supt. Roycraft.

The first witness called was Frank W. Hall, M. D., who described the nature of the wounds inflicted upon Martin and Fox.

Mr. J. J. Hardy was the next witness examined. He described the shooting and identified the prisoners in the dock as the parties whom he pursued. He detailed minutely the journey made to the city with the wounded men and the prisoners, all in one canoe.

Through Constable Lewis the prisoners made a statement to the court.

The case was further adjourned until 2 p. m. to-morrow.

PERSONALS.

Capt. John Irving returned to-day overland and via the Sound from San Francisco.

Mr. Harry Heywood, late with THE TIMES, was a passenger by the Ancon for the north to-day. He goes to Stickeen River and Cassiar.

Miss Kate Field was shown through Chinatown last night by His Worship Mayor Fell and Supt. Bloomfield. Mr. S. A. Wheelwright, of Tacoma, accompanied them. The plucky woman who braved the ordeal was determined to see Chinatown under the lamp light as well as by that of the sun. She was thoroughly satisfied with all she observed.

Messrs. Gooderman and Johnston left for Toronto this morning by the Yosemite. They were well pleased with their visit to the coast. The former maintains at his own expense no less than five mission stations in various parts of the world.

MARINE.

The Hindostan and Zaloka, timber laden for South American ports, will leave Moodyville to-day. Capts. McAllister and Urquhart went to the Inlet by the Yosemite this morning to pilot these vessels to sea.

Masonic.

The brethren of the mystic tie will please take notice that the funeral of their late brother, Major McDonell, will take place from the Masonic Temple tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. A full turnout of the fraternity in the city and neighborhood is desired to pay the last tribute of respect to a worthy departed friend and brother. The ceremonies will be conducted by W. Bro. Wm. Manson.

Passengers.

The Starr's passengers to-day: J A Wallace, C Robertson, C B Haines, T S White, Catler, wife and two children, Misses Barron and Conway, Mills, Smith, F J Ashler, Captain Irving, W H Dixon, E H Merrick, R Fawcett, the corpse of E R Matthews.

Maple Syrup

Direct from the grove of Frelighsburg; the first of the season. [illegible] & Ross.

MURDER INTENDED

By a Couple of Redskins on the West Coast Last Week.

From Mr. J. J. Hardy, who accompanied Messrs. Martin and Fox on the prospecting tour along the west coast and who also witnessed the shooting last week, furnishes the following additional particulars of the affair. He followed the retreating Indians but a short distance. On his return he set at once to work to render assistance to his wounded companions. He watched them during the night. His only light was a candle which he kept concealed fearing the return of the Indians and that his movements would be observed through the canvas of the tent. On the following morning he started for the Indian village, where he supposed the government agent lived. He had to pull fourteen miles against wind and tide. Fox steered the boat; he kept up wonderfully well considering his wounds. Martin lay in the bottom of the boat complaining and groaning from the effects of his wounds. On arriving at a point, some distance from Ahousett, the Indian Agent was sent for. He was not long in responding to the call, and bringing medicine with him. He then arranged for securing a large canoe and Indians to bring the wounded men to the city. Mr. Hardy so minutely described the two Indian boys who committed the offence that they were readily found. When the canoe came to where they were camped the boy Tommy was in it in charge of an Indian officer. On the way to Victoria, and within two miles of Cloyoquot, a canoe was overtaken with Charley in it in charge of another officer. Ample provisions were taken on board to bring the party to this city. The journey took four days steady pulling. The wounded men and the prisoners, in charge of the Indian police officers, were all in one canoe. After enduring many hardships they reached this harbor on the evening of Saturday last, as already announced. The Indians stole a double-barrelled gun and an axe belonging to the prospecting party. These were recovered and brought back. The gun is now in the hands of the police.

They prospected a large tract of country, but without any success. Of provisons and supplies they had abundance, leaving behind them at the spot where the shooting took place sufficient to carry them through for a few months yet. Mr. Hardy is unable to explain the motive the cowardly bucks had in view in shooting as they did. He describes the west coast Indians as friendly in some sections and hostile in others.

Going Ahead Rapidly.

Mr. Robert Kerr, general traffic manager of the C. P. R., on his return to Winnipeg to a press representative said that Vancouver was going ahead rapidly. A large number of handsome brick blocks are built and others are in course of erection and ultimately a big town will cover this magnificent site. Business, that is our business, is brisk, and passenger traffic is booming at the Glacier Hotel, at the Big Glacier, the number of guests being so large that sleeping accommodation was taxed beyond its capacity, and General Supt. Whyte has had to send up a sleeping car to accommodate the overflow. The culinary and dining departments are, however, fully equal to the strain. The day he passed through Banff one hundred and fifteen persons had bathed in the hot springs, so you may judge of the number staying there, and the day before one hundred and sixty bathers had turned out. The number of tourists this year is very large and business on the railway is booming.

For Alaska.

The S. S. Ancon left the outer wharf shortly after 3 o'clock this afternoon, after loading a large quantity of merchandise for Cassiar and 42,000 pounds of machinery for the Treadwell mine in Alaska. This machinery was shipped from the east over the C. P. R. From here she will proceed to Port Townsend to load San Francisco goods, leaving that port to-morrow at noon with a full cargo for Alaska direct. Her passenger list is also full, principally with excursionists, who are on an outing to view the country and place where the manufacture of icebergs goes hourly on. Among her passengers are, W S Ladd, wife, two children and servant, Mrs R J Corbett, two children and servant, H A Elliott and wife, Mrs E S Tupper, all of Portland, Oregon; Dr Thos Fraser and daughter, Oakland, Cal; Mr Duncan, Metlakahtla, B C; and Harry Heywood of this city. A large number will join her at Port Townsend.

In Brief and to the Point.

Dyspepsia is dreadful. Disordered liver is misery. Indigestion is a foe to good nature.

The human digestive apparatus is one of the most complicated and wonderful things in existence. It is easily put out of order.

Greasy food, tough food, sloppy food, bad cookery, mental worry, late hours, irregular habits, and many other things which ought not to be, have made the American people a nation of dyspeptics.

But Green's August Flower has done a wonderful work in reforming this sad business and making the American people so healthy that they can enjoy their meals and be happy.

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Mr. Duncan's Return.

Mr. W. Duncan, of Metlakahtla, who has been in the Eastern States for about a year endeavoring to procure land in Alaska from the U. S. Government and authority to move thereto his Indian followers at Metlakahtla, left for that place to-day on the steamer Ancon. Mr. Duncan was reticent about the result of his prolonged visit to the United States, but it is generally understood that while he secured much sympathy and promises of support from private individuals, the government declined to countenance his propositions.

Moonlight Excursion.

The members of St. Andrews and Caledonian society, to the number of two or three hundred, participated in the excursion on board the Yosemite to Race Rocks and return last night. The Queen City band discoursed choice music during the trip, and the company enjoyed themselves in dancing, promenading the spacious decks and parlors, and star gazing. The financial result also proved very satisfactory.

The China Steamer.

The Port Augusta will arrive from Vancouver early on Thursday morning and sail during the forenoon of the same day for Japan and China.

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POLITICAL AND PERSONAL.

A statute passed at the last session of the Quebec Legislature relating to the Lieut.-Governor has been disallowed, on the ground that only the Dominion parliament has power to legislate in regard to the office of Lieut.-Governor.

The Toronto *Mail* says there is little doubt that Mr. D. McIntyre will carry South Renfrew for the Liberals. Mr. Peter Ryan, of Toronto, it also says, was first offered the nomination but declined the honor. This statement lacks confirmation.

The last tie between the Federal Government and its old organ, the Toronto *Mail*, has been severed. Hon. Mr. Chapleau before his departure issued orders to the effect that the paper should no longer receive the *Canada Gazette* notes in advance, a privilege it has in common with all government papers, hitherto enjoyed.

The Toronto *News* describes the eviction, in Toronto, of a lot of poor people from miserable houses for which the tenants either could not or would not pay rent. The miserable belongings of the unfortunate people were thrown into the street, and the evicted were, at last accounts, camping in the open air in a filthy lane.

Every indication points to a terrific war between France and Germany before long, but it would puzzle the wisest man on earth to point out in what respect the struggle in to result in gain to the individual Frenchman or German, no matter how it may eventuate. When these who make the quarrels are the only ones to fight there will be very few national wars.

The rumor that Norquay will shortly dissolve the Manitoba Legislature and appeal to the country on his railroad policy gains credence in Winnipeg. Norquay has shown himself a pretty astute leader and a copyist of Sir John in many things. There is no earthly necessity for an appeal to the people on this question, but Norquay thinks that he might strengthen himself on other questions. Parties are pretty evenly divided in the House.

The election in South Renfrew takes place to-day. The friends of both candidates are confident of a victory. Mr. Duncan McIntyre is the Liberal and Mr. Ferguson the Conservative candidate. The riding is a fickle one, both parties being very evenly divided. Since 1872 it has been represented by Conservatives as well as Liberals. At the last general election Mr. Campbell, the deceased member, was elected by a majority of 66. The riding has been swarming with political missionaries from both sides. A close contest is expected.

Concerning the rumor that the *Globe* was to become the organ of the conservative party in Canada, that journal says: The ingenious minor journalists who are trying to serve certain tangled ends of their own by starting yarns about the *Globe* becoming a C. P. R. organ, or this or that organ, may as well save their breath to cool their porridge. The *Globe* is the one journal in Canada in a position to be, in the future as in the past, absolutely independent and outspoken. At no period in its history has its circulation been so great, its advertising so extensive, its prosperity so marked, its enterprise and influence so wide-reaching; while, if letters from subscribers are any criterion, never were its hosts of friends more cordial in their good-will.

The great objection to commercial union will unquestionably turn out to be, as Mr. Blount says, the tendency it would have to a weakening of the ties that bind Canada to the mother country. An adoption of the American tariff against England and the world, and at the same time free trade with the United States, would be a declaration that we favored non-intercourse with Great Britain, which would ultimately lead to independence or annexation. The only other alternative is the adoption of the Canadian tariff, or a modification of the two tariffs, by the United States, which would not be considered as specially objectionable in England. But it must be evident to our politicians that Canada has gone as far as it is safe to go in raising the wall between Great Britain and this country.

London Advertiser; The sovereignty of the United States no more extends over the Behring Sea than does the sovereignty of Russia. The Russians own the Asiatic and the United States the American coast, but they are separated from each other by 2,000 miles of ocean, and we think the civilized world is not likely to submit to the pretention of sovereignty on the part of either Russia or the United States over these waters. There would be as much propriety in China or the United States claiming the sovereignty of the Northern Pacific ocean. Russia made some claim to the sovereignty of Behring's sea 60 years ago, and her pretensions were energetically resisted by John Quincy Adams, and since that time no pretension has been put forward until the Alaska Sealing Company have ventured to do so, and they inflicted serious damage upon certain Canadian fishermen under these absurd pretensions.

BEYOND HIS DEPTH.

Our morning contemporary has got beyond his depth on the water works question, and is floundering about in a desperate manner in a sea of perplexity and figures. The immediate point in dispute is the height of the Pandora street reservoir, and our stupid friend has this morning convicted himself of crass ignorance on the subject by one of his own witnesses. Coun. HIGGINS gives as a reason for opposing the reservoir scheme, that a late survey has exposed blunders in the report of Mr. HENDRY, (which was endorsed by Mr. PICKERING), in regard to the levels of the lower reservoir. Mr. PICKERING in his report says the top water altitude of the reservoir would be 135 feet, and Mr. HENDRY said the same. Coun. HIGGINS, and every other members of the council, is aware that in order to make the reservoir conform to the grade of the street, it was proposed to build it seven feet lower, or at a top altitude of 128 feet. In ignoring this alteration in the plan, Coun. HIGGINS is deliberately attempting to deceive. Now, having in mind this fact, the report of Mr. A. E. MACKAY, published in this morning's *Colonist*, will be found to substantiate the reports of Messrs. HENDRY and PICKERING. Mr. MACKAY finds the level of the floor excavated to be 115.85 feet over high water mark. To these figures add 12 feet for depth of water and 7 feet for alteration in level, and we have "a top water altitude," of 134.85 feet, or within a fraction of two inches of Mr. HENDRY'S figures. Mr. MACKAY is the best witness yet brought forward to prove that HENDRY'S calculations are correct.

THE TREASURERSHIP.

Mr. J. H. TURNER is at present rusticating in the country. It is believed he got overheated during the late paper carnival in this city, and from its effects he is now suffering. He is a guest with mine host STEVENS on the North Saanich road. Mr. TURNER, we are pleased to learn, is rapidly improving under the kind attention given him by Mr. STEVENS, and the absolute relaxtion from business he is enjoying. On Saturday he was visited by the Hon. JOHN ROBSON, with whom he is said to have been closeted for some considerable time. The political situation and outlook was seriously discussed. The acceptance of the Treasurership portfolio was again pressed on Mr. TURNER by his visitor, who was most persistent in his efforts to induce the member for Victoria to consent. No definite decision was arrived at, so that it may be said that the Treasurership is now going a-begging. The last ditch, however, has not yet been reached. It is known that Mr. TURNER has longing eyes on the coveted position, but the dread of having to appeal to the electors for an endorsation of his conduct is an ordeal through which he is somewhat reluctant to pass. Meantime Mr. D. W. HIGGINS is beholding the play on the political chess board with a keen eye, thoroughly enjoying the corner into which the government has been driven. For the treachery and base ingratitude meted out to him by the leaders of the party he claims to have built up and kept together, he is now nursing his wrath and keeping it warm, to be poured out at an early date on the heads of those against whom be has vowed eternal vengeance. The battle to be inaugurated between these arch political conspirators will be an interesting one to on-lookers. It may not result in a victory for the weak and down trodden, or that the fittest will survive; nevertheless, the revelations to be made will, it is to be hoped, lead to honest men being rewarded for their good works, and those of the opposite school treated to their just deserts. Verily the governmental family is not to be envied in its alleged unity and happiness.

POLITICIANS CHANGE.

Whilst in Winnipeg a few days since the HON. THOMAS WHITE, Minister of the Interior, was interviewed by a journalist to ascertain his views on the questions of Commercial Union and Reciprocity. Mr. WHITE expressed himself as opposed to the former but in favor of unrestricted reciprocity. It is not many years since this gentleman was an unflinching opponent of an advance in the Canadian tariff, as the following extract from a speech delivered by him at the Dominion Board of Trade, Montreal, will testify. Discussing the probability of an advance in the customs tariff in 1873, Mr. WHITE said:

> A 15 per cent. tariff ought to be sufficient for any industry suited to the country, and as to others it would be unwise to attempt to sustain them by fiscal props. I warn my Protectionist friends against provoking the controversies to which a 20 per cent. tariff would give rise. The very discussion of it, the very attacks which it would provoke, would do more to unsettle manufacturing industry and drive capital from being invested in it, than any good results that could flow from it.

Since then the gentleman who thus spoke so warmly and emphatically has become one of the most zealous advocates of a tariff ranging from 25 to 60 per cent. He, like many another politician, will favor Commercial Union, if the populace declare for it—rather than lose his seat on the Treasury benches.

The Parsees of Bombay have long been famous for their charitable munificence, and the example of the late Sir Jamsetjee Jejeebhoy, known thoughout the civilized world for his liberality, is being emulated at the present day by another Parsee, Sir Dinshaw Manockjee Petit, Sheriff of Bombay, who has just offered the Government of Bombay one and one half lakh ($75,000), for the purpose of establishing a female college in that city.

Land Applications.

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiry of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections seventy-one, seventy-two, north half of seventy-three, seventy-five, seventy-six and seventy-seven on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. july 13 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 520 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections twenty-two, twenty-three, twenty-seven, twenty-eight and twenty-nine on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. Tyrwhitt Drake.
Dated July 11, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections thirty-five, thirty-six, thirty-nine, forty-two, forty-three, east half of forty-six, southeast half of forty-seven on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. Tyrwhitt Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 200 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections ninety-four, ninety-five, ninety-six and ninety-seven on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
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NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situated on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections eighty-four, eighty-five, ninety, ninety-one and ninety-two on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections seventy-nine, eighty, eighty-one, eighty-six and eighty-seven on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
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NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections sixty-seven, sixty-eight, sixty-nine, seventy, seventy-four and south half of seventy-three on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated July 11, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situated on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections thirty-one, thirty-two, thirty-seven, thirty-eight, forty, forty-four and forty-five on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections sixty, sixty-one, sixty-three, sixty-four, sixty-five and sixty-six on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. juli4 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Section west half forty-six, west half forty-seven, forty-nine, fifty, fifty-one, and fifty-two on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works. S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections fifty-three, fifty-four, fifty-six, fifty-seven and fifty-eight on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. juli4 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situated on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections fifteen, sixteen, seventeen, twenty-four and twenty-five on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date, I shall apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land, situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections nine, ten, eleven and twelve on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situated and described as follows:

Commencing at N. E. corner of Section 56 Sooke District, thence due north 80 chains, thence due west 80 chains, thence due south 100 chains to N. E. corner of Section 52, thence in a northeasterly direction to point of commencement.

R. E. JACKSON.
Victoria, B. C. 6th Dec. 1886. dec 6 law-tf

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, situated on East side of upper Columbia Lake, on a small Creek about 2½ miles South of Armstrong Creek; the South East corner of said land to commence at an initial stake on said Creek and run thence North ½ mile, thence West ½ mile to shore of lake thence South ½ mile along lake shore and thence East ½ mile to initial stake.

WM. HARDIE.
Columbia Lakes, Kootenay B. C. April 30th 1887.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land, situated and described as follows:

Commencing at N. E. corner of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due north 40 chains, thence due west 160 chains, more or less, to Sooke River, thence southerly along Sooke river 40 chains thence due east 160 chains to point of commencement.

M. W. TYRWHITT DRAKE.
Victoria, B. C., 6th Dec. 1886. dec 6 law-tf

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date, I shall apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land, situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections five, six, seven, fourteen and thirteen on the map of Galiano Island deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law2m.

NOTICE is hereby given that the expiration of sixty days from this date, I shall apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land, situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows: Sections one, two, three and four on the map of Galiano Island deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.
Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law2m

NOTICE is hereby given that we intend to make application, two months after date, to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres, more or less, of pastoral lands, said lands being the Islands in Oyster Harbor, Nanaimo District.

ALFRED RAPER.
ELIJAH PRIEST.
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One straight, dark path all life's horizon fills,
Tho' still far off the unwavering blessed hills
Flame gold and purple where the sun has met
Their jubilant upturned faces, and even yet
Laughs the lush meadow bright with daffodils,
Laugh the green valleys with their hurrying rills,
And smile the angels o'er heaven's parapet.

One straight, dark path * * * and these things are so fair? * * *
Might I but climb the mountain's gleaming height,
Dream in the valleys, joy in the sweet light
Of pitying angel eyes * * *. soul, ask not where
Life's dark path leadeth thro' the gathering night,
But if at ending God and heaven prove there!
—Evelyn Payne in The Academy.

A GENDARME'S STORY.

In the autumn of 18— we found ourselves, at an elevation of 1,300 meters, in the Chalet of Tranbelane. It was well that we were sheltered, for a tempest raged on the outside, sweeping and howling through the mountain passes and hurling itself with fury upon the pines of the Swiss Jura. Gathering about the fire, like the rest of us, for warmth and comfort, the herdsmen smoked and listened while we talked.

Suddenly a violent knocking sounded upon the door, and, on the call to enter, given by the shepherd, who was master of the hut, a Vaudois gendarme, wet and weary, a black canishe following at his heels, showed himself in the opening. Placing his capote and carbine in a corner with the rest of the trappings, he explained to us that he, too, had been surprised by the storm and for several hours lost in the pines. As the light of the burning logs fell upon the new arrival I started in astonishment, for never in my life before had I seen so strange a countenance. The nose was broken and bent awry, the teeth entirely missing from the front of the mouth, and the skin and flesh a patchwork of seams and cicatrices. Nevertheless, in spite of its disfigurements, the face was a kind one, the face of an old and brave soldier.

The conversation, checked for a moment by his coming, was renewed again, the painful duty of the mountain guards, the tragic story of contrabandists, forming the basis of our talk. Every one had something to relate, and when it came to the turn of the gendarme, cheered by frequent trips to his gourd and the grateful warmth of the fire, he gave us the following history:

"That which I am going to tell you," said he, "is the saddest episode of my life, for I was but 25 years of age, and, without flattering myself, a well set boy. Detailed to the post of Cure—the extreme station of the canton of Vaud, near the Fort des Rousses—in the winter of 18—, I endured some terrible sufferings, every day of my life exposed to the danger and hardships of that open frontier and the forests of Amont. Ah, those miserable smugglers, whose route I had to watch! Many a night have I passed in a hole in the rocks or in the branches of the pines in those trackless woods where one only meets with crows and poisonous reptiles!

"But to return to my story: One afternoon the corporal came to me and said: 'Abram, this evening the little Francois and his two dogs of brothers will load themselves at Des Rousses; they will be obliged to return through the hollows of Crouaz. I am going to post myself behind them, the lieutenant under the Vermillay, and you in the hollow itself. As you have a longer route than we, you must start at once and take Bijou with you. Come, hurry up, boy; this trip requires nerve.'

"Bijou, to whom the corporal referred, was the canishe of the post; there was nothing like him to scent the smugglers, and moreover, to tell the truth, he had once been a contraband himself, having served to pass jewelry and clock works, concealed under his hair, through the lines into France.

"I had found him after a brawl, wounded and bleeding; had cared for and cured him; and since then he had never left me. By 4 o'clock I was on the road. The ground was covered with snow, and at every step I sank to my knees in spite of my snow shoes. The carbine slung across my shoulders, the sword at my waist, my heavy capote and Alpenstock did not render me light of weight, I assure you. But I went on with a brave heart in spite of my difficulties, pleased with the thought of measuring my strength in open fight with this terrible Petit Francois, who daily defied our watchfulness, and on Sunday openly walked with the girls of the neighborhood. He did it to make us envious, for the villain knew that we were not made of stone, and with an income of only thirty cents a day from the government not likely to be looked upon with favor.

"When I think of him, that scamp with his pockets full of gold, and jewels enough to tempt even the virgin of Notre Dame d'Arzler, my blood boils; and—but listen, gentlemen, listen to the end.

"I had already been traveling for over two hours, when at last I approached the hollow of Crouaz, a narrow defile between the Noir Mont and Mont Sallez, a mere goat's path, in fact; to the right of it a fearful precipice, to the left a polished wall—and what a height—not less than 1,000 metres!

"Imagine for yourselves the cold and the gloom of those interminable forests, with their centenary pines, whose trunks were mossed with age, whose branches bent and cracked under the weight of snow—and not a soul save myself in the whole of that icy solitude! I walked perhaps 100 feet into the defile, then seated myself in the snow to smoke. The night was clear and bright, but I smoked with composure, for I knew perfectly well that the smugglers would remain at Des Rousses until 10 o'clock at least, in order to arrive at Beguins about daybreak.

"By this time, the cold beginning to affect me, I was growing very drowsy, when suddenly my attention was attracted by the strange behavior of Bijou. He had burrowed into a pile of snow heaped against the wall of the hollow, and instead of squatting himself quietly on his haunches, as was his habit, was digging, scratching and sniffing about the excavation as if seeking to unearth a treasure.

"'I must see what he is about,' I said to myself; 'there's something suspicious over there.' And leaning my carbine against the rocks, I took off my sword and began to dig in the hole at which Bijou was still pawing. Ah, but it was funny, for suddenly, something giving way beneath us, we fell and were buried out of sight, a great pile of snow and ice resting upon our heads. When I was free again I found myself in a sort of cavern, the floor dry and covered with gravel and fine sand. Bijou, already on his feet, jumped about me barking and whining, displeased or uneasy at the position in which he found himself, it was difficult to tell which.

"By the light of my lantern, fortunately unbroken in the fall, I began to examine the surroundings; but, sacre Dieu! what did I see stacked upon every side of me? Packages of wheat and sugars, bales of tobacco, wine from Berne, cigars from Vevey, and heaven knows what besides! It was a complete store house, in fact, and evidently a den of Petit Francois in which to hide away the contraband merchandise brought into France. In all there was, perhaps, 2,000 francs' worth, and as the state gave us the right to one-half the confiscated property you can imagine my state of mind. I had scarcely time, however, to recover from the amazement which the sight of these things had given me when my duty as sentinel returned to mind; but how was I to get out of this hole, thirty feet at least beneath the surface of the ground, and the walls as smooth as glass? It was impossible to cling to it, and the sweat of agony broke out all over as I thought of Petit Francois and his devilish brothers. If they should return and catch me in this place I was lost. A slug of lead or a knife in the vitals would soon end the business for me.

"In vain I groped about the cavern searching right and left; there was no way of getting out—I was caged like an animal, and with my lamp drawing to a close, the wick already leaping and sputtering in its last rays. A moment later, crack! it was out. The darkness of Erebus reigned.

"In the meantime I had noticed a sort of cranny or narrow break extending along the base of the wall at the end of the cavern, and I started in that direction, feeling along with my hands. Bijou was there before me!

"It is useless, gentlemen, to describe to you what I felt regarding this strange and perilous adventure. It is always painful to die at 25—and then, what a death!

"Even my carbine remained upon the path above me—instead of defending it would expose me. My poor old mother! I was her only child. I had sent her my pay by the driver of the Nyon diligence just the evening before, and she had only this pay to live upon. And Rosette, who would come to the chalet of Trelasse the following night to meet me—Rosette whom I loved, and who returned that love!

"Think of it, gentlemen, the cruelty of this fate; and I had only been in that devilish post of Cure three months, all told. But it is useless to speak of that, or to tell you of the fears, the regrets and memories that threw me into a sort of torpor. I was benumbed, stupefied, and at last fell asleep.

"Suddenly I awoke with a start. I had heard a voice that to me had the sound of hell. It was the voice of Petit Francois speaking to his brothers.

"'The spy is down there, of course,' said he; 'but no matter; in any case we must try the fire, and smoke him out. Tune up the violins!' Then all was silence!

"A man in the hour of approaching death has such need of tenderness and affection that I wished even to embrace for the last time my little Bijou; but where was he? I felt all around me, I called him softly; he was gone—my only friend had disappeared!

"The silence continued perhaps for half an hour. Mechanically grasping the handle of my sword, I waited in the darkness, determined to sell my life as dearly as possible in case they should unexpectedly invade the cavern by an entrance known only to themselves.

"See my hair, gentlemen; white as the driven snow, and I am not yet 40 years of age! It comes from that awful experience. God keep you from suffering the like!

"But all at once," the gendarme continued, "the place was filled with a flash of light—Petit Francois and his brothers had begun their infernal work—they were smoking me out! To leave my hiding place behind the bales of merchandise and endeavor to extinguish the brands would only be presenting myself as a target for their revolvers. On the other hand, the acrid smoke of the burning boughs filled my throat and stopped my breathing. My ears already rung and roared with the noise of a thousand devils.

"At last I could stand it no longer, and cried for mercy.

"'Do not burn me, Petit Francois,' I begged; 'do not burn me, for I surrender. Kill me afterward if you please, but air—for the love of God, give me air!'

"'Then it is you, Abram,' he replied; 'you, the spy! So much the better. I long ago reserved you for a morsel for the dogs. But, draw him up, boys; draw him to the top. I want to see the grimaces he'll make when we hang him to the branches. Let down a rope; he'll cling to it fast enough. And be sure,' he added, in a lower tone of voice, 'that no one else is there.'

"A moment later the rope descended, and, like the drowning man who clings to a straw, I was not long in seizing and lashing myself to it, for between two deaths one is certain to choose that which is farthest off. 'Pull up!' cried Petit Francois, but scarcely had I reached the level of the path when he rushed upon me, upset me and bound me hand and foot, and with those never to be loosened knots of the contrabandists.

"'Now, children,' said he, 'we must decamp from here and as quickly as possible. Recover the opening with pine boughs and snow, and then, Monsieur Abram, we will take you for a promenade.'

"The entrance to the cavern again concealed, Petit Francois slackened the cords which bound my feet enough for me to walk, hung upon my back and neck a bundle of merchandise and ordered me to fall in line and 'carry' like a beast of burden. Ah, how those scoundrels laughed and jeered as they prodded me along with the ends of their carbines! You may not think it from the position I was in, but I began to have a little hope. There was a chance, you see—a slight one, it is true—that some of my colleagues would be on sentry at a narrow defile not far from the hollow of the Crouaz, where there was a sort of breach in the wall for concealment.

"The contrabandists evidently had the same reflection, for they turned to the right and continued the ascent by a more circuitous passage, but which would bring us in rear of any one on guard at that point. It was now in the neighborhood of 3 o'clock. We walked for an hour longer, when Petit Francois called a halt, and, taking the package I had carried since we left the hollow, he concealed it in a crevice of the rocks which overhung the side.

"'Take a look at your gibbet, Abram,' he cried, with a mocking laugh. 'You cannot say that I have chosen it badly;' and he pointed toward a monster pine tree occupying the center of the clearing, whose branches, thick as ordinary tree trunks, extended from the sides like the arms of a huge candelabra.

"'All summer long the tourists of the mountains will come to call upon you as you came to call upon me—for which, my pretty blackbird,' approaching me with curses, 'you will hang up there.'

"If you had seen the face of that monster, his lips trembling with rage, his hands as big as battledores, and covered with rough and hairy skin, you would have known at once that prayers and appeals to his mercy would simply have been time thrown away. It only remained for me to die, and to die bravely for the honor of my division.

"'Put up the rope, Louis,' Francois called to his brother; 'tie it to one of the lower branches; while waiting we will amuse ourselves with the gentleman who explores so well.'

"The amusement of Petit Francois consisted in binding me securely to the trunk of a tree, after which he took off his coat, rolled up his sleeves, and arranging himself some twenty paces in front of me, went to work to make a target of me, the missiles used being heavy, jagged stones which his brother collected for him beneath the cliffs. The first stone missed me, but gradually, as Francois warmed to his work and aimed with greater precision, they began to tell. One broke my wrist; another buried itself in my ribs; the third crushed my nose, knocked out my teeth and tore the flesh from my cheeks.

"From this on I knew no more—I had fainted away."

"When I came to myself again I was resting against the pine that was to have been my gibbet; Bijou was licking the blood from my face, and before me, lying on the snow, two dead bodies—Petit Francois and my own corporal. The lieutenant who had been on guard at the Villemay bent over me, rubbing me as hard as he could, trying to restore me to consciousness.

"'Do not talk, Abram,' said he, as I struggled to speak; 'the villains have their deserts, and have decamped with a shot in their wings. They cannot go far; as for the corporal, he is done for, Francois also. My bayonet went through his lungs. You were in a bad way, my lad, when we got to you; but I must go to Saint Bergues for aid. Bijou, who saved you, will stay with you. I will wrap you in this heavy blanket, and you will do well till my return. Here is a loaded revolver; if those scoundrels return and approach you pepper them well.'

In due time he returned with re-enforcements and litters. They placed me on one of them, and the corporal and Petit Francois on the other. The lieutenant, after seeing that I was safely dispatched to the post at Cure, departed in search of the contrabandist's brothers. They were caught on the frontier of France, tried and sentenced to the galleys for life.

"I was three months in the hospital of the Good Samaritans, and when I came out of it my face was so ugly that Rosette, my fiancee, would have nothing to do with me, and married the grocer of Des Rousses, a well known receiver of stolen goods, though we could never prove it.

"The government stitched a stripe upon the coat sleeve of the lieutenant, a greater gratification than a 100 franc bill, and allowed to the widow of the corporal half the value of the merchandise which I had discovered in the cavern.

"As for myself I was made appointe, and shall always remain so; I am too ugly and too much disfigured to care to be anything else. Bijou, my savior, as the lieutenant called him, had succeeded in crawling through the crevice at the base of the cavern wall, and running to the post of Cure had found it deserted by all save the sentry. Returning toward the Crouaz, he had followed the trail of the lieutenant and corporal, who, suspecting that a misfortune had happened, started out to find me.

"The gendarme corps of Vaud have had him christened "Bijou D'Or," and presented him with a cross of gold, which, as you see, gentlemen, hangs from his collar.

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Disorders and Ailments of the Kidneys, Bladder and Urinary Secretive System, or Attendant Complaints—causing Pain in Small of Back, Sides, etc., producing Urinary Disorders, such as too frequent, Scanty, Difficult, Painful or Copious Micturation, Inability of Retention and Sedimentary Urine, Dropsical Symptoms, etc., denoting the presence in the system of Disease common to the Urinary Secretive Organs, known as Gravel, Catarrh of the Bladder and passages, Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Dropsy, Piles, Nervous Debility, etc., etc.
Pamphlets and Testimonials can be obtained from Druggists free.
PRICES.—Child's Pad, $1.50 (cures bed-wetting); Regular Pad, $2.00; Special Pad for Chronic Diseases $3.00.
"GOOD BACKING.—As the Starr Kidney Pad Co of Toronto are again introducing in this province their famous cure, it is only fair to call attention to the long period of success which has greeted their great antidote for so many distressing diseases. The inveterate complaints of diabetes and Bright's disease, or the kidneys are affirmed by reliable people to yield to the persevering application of this company's pads, which have no equal in the effectual treatment of lame backs and all weakness of the lumbar and genito-urinary organs."—Victoria Colonist, Sept. 11, 1886.
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300 ACRES, INCLUDING GOOD SWAMP and Uplands, good Dwelling House and Barns; suitable for Sheep-raising. For particulars, address W. P. O. Box 133. Price $3,500. Part can remain on mortgage at 8 per cent. je3

Steamships,
Oceanic Steamship Company.
Carrying United States, Hawaiian and Colonial Mails.
WILL LEAVE the Company's Wharf, Folsom Street, San Francisco, California, for
AUCKLAND AND SYDNEY,
WITHOUT CHANGE
THE MAGNIFICENT 3000 TON Iron Steamer
MARIPOSA.
July 29........................at 2 p. m.
Or immediately on arrival of the English mails.
FOR HONOLULU.
The magnificent steamer "Australia," July 18.
For freight or passage, apply at office, 327 Market St. JOHN D. SPRECKELS & BROS., 327 Market Street, San Francisco, California.
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PACIFIC
Mail Steamship Co
COMPANY'S STEAMERS sail for
Hongkong via Yokohama
Oceanic........................August 5
City of Rio de Janeiro..........Aug. 13, 1 p.m.
For New York via Panama.
Steamers will sail 1st and 15th of each month at 10 a. m. for ports of call. See San Francisco papers.
WILLIAMS, DIMOND & CO., Gen. Agents.
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Notices.

Notice.
MR. GUSTAV LEISER HAS BEEN Admitted as a partner in the business of a Dry Goods Merchant, now carried on by Moses Lenz upon Government Street and the concern will henceforth be known as "LENZ & LEISER."
Victoria, Dec. 4, 1886. MOSES LENZ. GUSTAV LEISER.
Witness, THEODORE DAVIE.

Estate of William Lohse, Deceased.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE will of the deceased, dated 21st. December, 1886, has been admitted to probate by the Hon. H. P. P. Crease, a judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, and that all persons indebted to or having claims against the Estate are to make payment or application for payment, as the case may be, at the office of Mr. Theodore Davie, corner Bastion and Langley Streets, where a copy of the will can be inspected.
Dated May 21st, 1887.
THOMAS GEIGER, CHAS. J. PHILLIPS, Executors.
my 23 THEODORE DAVIE,

COCKLE'S
ANTIBILIOUS
PILLS.
The Great English Medicine.
OF
PURELY VEGETABLE INGREDIENTS, AND WITHOUT MERCURY. USED BY THE ENGLISH PEOPLE FOR OVER 120 YEARS. SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS. WHOLESALE AGENTS,
EVANS SONS & MASON, LTD.
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DR. VANMONCISCAR,
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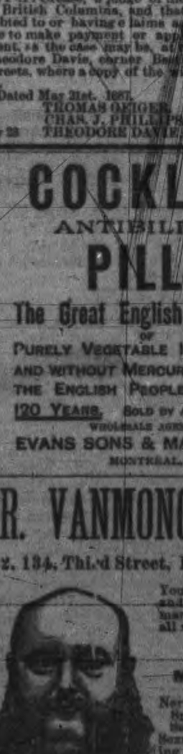

Young, middle-aged and old, single or married men, and all who suffer from
LOST MANHOOD,
Nervous Debility, Spermatorrhea, Seminal Losses, Sexual Decay, Failing memory, Weak Eyes, Lack of Energy, Impediments to Marriage; also, Blood and Skin Diseases, Syphilis, Eruptions, Hair Falling, Bone Pains, Swellings, Sore Throat, Ulcers, Effects of Mercury, Kidney and Bladder Troubles, Weak Back, Burning Urine, Gonorrhea, Gleet, Strictures—receive searching treatment and prompt relief.
Both Sexes consult confidentially.
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Railways.

Esquimalt & Nanaimo
RAILROAD.
TIME CARD NO 4.
To take effect at 8:20 a.m. on Wednesday, June 1st, 1887.

Going North. READ DOWN. No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Sat. and Sunday.	STATIONS.	Going South. READ UP. No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Sat., Sun. and Mon.
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CHEAP RATES.
Until further notice Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare will be issued to any point on the line, good for three days, including the day of issue.
SATURDAY & SUNDAY.
Return tickets to all points for a single fare save as under, will be issued on Saturdays and Sundays only, good for return, until the following Monday inclusive.
No Return tickets for a single fare issued between Nanaimo and Wellington or other points distant over four miles where single fare is 25 cents.
R. DUNSMUIR, President. JOSEPH HUNTER, General Supt.
H. K. PRIOR, General Freight and Passenger Agent.
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CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY,
OUR NATIONAL HIGHWAY
Shortest, Quickest,
AND IN EVERY RESPECT,
THE BEST ROUTE,
TO
Toronto, Montreal, Ottawa, Hamilton, Halifax, Portland, New York, Boston, St. Paul & Chicago.
Daily Solid Through Trains
FROM
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NO CHANGE OF CARS.
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LOWEST RATES
Remember our Scenery is without exception the Grandest in the World. The pass through an ever-changing Panorama of Mountains, Lakes, Rivers, Canyons and Glaciers—Prairies—delighting every one who has travelled over the Canadian Pacific Railway.
When going East, purchase Tickets by this Line.
Mark and Consign your Freight via C. P. Railway. Lowest Rates. No Transfers.
For Tickets, Sleeping Car Berths, and all information, apply at office of the Canadian Pacific Navigation Company whose steamers make close daily connection with all through trains.
G. V. HEATHCOTE, Contracting Agent. D. E. MUNRO, Ticket Agent.
D. E. BROWN, District Freight and Passenger Agent.

To San Francisco, Cal.,
BY WAY OF THE
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AND CONNECTIONS.
THE MT. SHASTA ROUTE.
Quicker in Time Than Any Other Route between
VICTORIA & SAN FRANCISCO.
Leave Victoria daily, except Sunday, at 8 a. m.
Arrive in San Francisco at 7:40 a.m.
Through Time 56 hours.
ONLY TWENTY MILES STAGING between Ashland and Cole's.
PULLMAN BUFFET SLEEPERS between Portland and Ashland, Cole's and San Francisco.
Fare from Portland to Sacramento and San Francisco—Limited First Class, $32; unlimited, $30; limited emigrant, $15.
E. KOEHLER, Manager. E. P. ROGERS, Gen. Freight & Pass. Agent.
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CANADIAN PACIFIC
Navigation Co.
(LIMITED.)
TIME TABLE NO. 7,
Taking effect June 1st, 1887.
Burrard Inlet Route.
VICTORIA TO
Vancouver and Moodyville,
Daily except Monday, at 3 o'clock.
Saturday, at 2 o'clock.
Vancouver to Victoria,
Daily except Monday, at 12:30 o'clock.
New Westminster Route.
LEAVE VICTORIA
For New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island,
Sunday, Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.
Plumper Pass
Wednesday, at 7 o'clock.
Leave New Westminster for Victoria,
Monday at one p.m.; Thursday and Saturday at 7 a.m.
Tuesday, at 4 a. m.; Thursday and Saturday at 7 a.m.
For Plumper Pass,
Thursday at 7 o'clock.
Steamers for HOPE and WAY LANDINGS leave New Westminster every Monday. For CHILLIWACK and WAY LANDINGS every Thursday and Saturday.
The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.
Numbers here by Standard Time, which is 20 minutes faster than Victoria time.
G. A. CARLETON, Gen. Agent. JOHN IRVING, Manager.
March 17, 1887.

Hudson's Bay Company.

A Supply of Cantrell & Cochrane's **CLUB SODA**

Just received; also of the following brands of

HAVANA CIGARS:

Caliope, Picador, Oscar Y Amanda,
Intimidad, Henry Clay, Manuel Garcia.

Sole Agents for the following **DOMESTIC CIGARS: Leader, La Re Gorria, Arabi, Bayadera, Carissima.** Also for

DUKE'S CAMEO CIGARETTES
And LEMP'S ST. LOUIS BEER.

The Daily Times.

PUBLISHED EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Victoria, Tuesday, August 2, 1887.

DIED.

McDonell.—At his residence, Bird Cage Walk, James' Bay, Victoria, B. C., on the 1st August, 1887, Major R. J. McDonell, Paymaster of the Militia, formerly an officer of H. M. 28th Regiment, in the 75th year of his age, a native of Shetland, Scotland.

☞ The funeral will leave the Masonic Temple TO-MORROW (Wednesday), at three o'clock. Friends are invited to attend.

Batchelor.—On the 2nd August, at the residence of her son William, Yates street, Mrs. Mary Batchelor, a native of Ashley Mills, Cheshire, England, aged 64 years.

☞ The funeral will take place from [illegible] dence, Yates street, on Thursday, 4th inst., at 3 p. m., to Ross Bay Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances are invited.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—Kurtz's Jubilee Cigars are now ready.*

—Money saved by having your plans made by Fisher, the Architect. *

—Photographic views along the line of the C. P. R. in B. C., for sale at R. Maynard's, Douglas St. ‡

—Steitz Bros. are prepared to supply their celebrated Ice Cream in quantities to suit, by the glass, quart or gallon. *

—Baby Carriages, the cheapest and best in the city at Shore & Anderson's, Douglas street. *

—For a delicious Milk Punch or a genuine Cocktail go to the Pritchard House. *

—A patent reversible shirt, that can't be put on wrong side out, would be a great boon to Victoria's small boys during the swimming season.

—Tomb and Headstones, Monuments, in Marble, imported and local Granite, Mantle pieces and Wash Stands in Marble, artistically executed, and at reasonable rates, at George Rudge's Marble Works, Douglas street, Victoria. Call and see specimens of work.

—The way to gain boat races is to feather your oar with metal. The way to succeed in newspaper competitions is to have mettle in you.

—Families requiring extra quantities of sugar for preserving purposes will find it to their advantage to purchase at Fell & Co's. *

—Mr. George Byrnes has received a consignment of American buggies and pheatons, which he is prepared to sell at reasonable figures. Give him a call.

—A real estate agent in Southern California recently posted the following notice on a piece of land: "For Sale Cheap. The Best Climate on the Pacific Coast. The Land Thrown In."

—Messrs. M. W. Waitt & Co. have just received several first-class English Pianos, with the celebrated French action and all the latest improvements. Call and see them. *

—A Whatcom dispatch states that a party from San Francisco and Chicago, in charge of Captain de Wolf of Seattle, arrived last night to inspect the coal lands in this county.

—D. R. Munro, General S. S. Agent for Cunard, Guion, Albany, Dominion, Inman and all S. S. Co.'s. Prepaid passages at most favorable rates. Every berth secured on sale. *

—Reduced Prices:—Just received over 250 patterns fine mouldings, steel engravings and all latest pictures in stock. Framing and mounting a specialty. Jos. Sommers, Government street. *

—The collections at New Westminster for the month of July were $4,988.64, this is $2,707.90 less than the collections for July of 1886, and $920.67 more than for July 1885.

—Solemn requiem mass for the repose of the soul of the late Archbishop Seghers was offered Wednesday last at the Church of the Dominican Fathers, in Benicia, Cal.

—The Railway and Navigation Guide will be under the exclusive management of W. R. Menzies, who has purchased a half interest of the Guide Publishing Co. The settlement of all outstanding business will be done by him. *

—The employees of the Moodyville Saw Mill Company support a comfortable reading-room, supplied with the best leading British and American papers, and a library of over 1000 volumes.

—Dr. A. C. West, dentist, will for the present occupy dental rooms in Hastings Photographic buildings, Fort street, where his old patrons and all requiring fine dental work, are respectfully invited to call. *

—The latest "fad" of the fashionable young woman who goes bathing is to save a sinking bather and get written up in the correspondence for a half column of description of personal charms, accomplishments, manner, fortune, etc.

—A Los Angeles real estate agent offers for sale eighteen million acres of land in Lower California. There never was anything small about Los Angeles. Vancouver real estate rustlers must now look out for their laurels.

—House-keepers and others should read the advertisement of Mr. George Byrnes in another column, announcing the sale of effects at the residence of Mr. Dawson, corner of Douglas and Kane streets, next Friday, commencing at 11 o'clock a. m.

—Three first-class teams of draught horses, weight ranging from 1200 to 1500 pounds each, wagons and harness complete; also one mare suitable for family use, weight 1050, for sale. Apply to J. Haggerty, Rae St., between Douglas and Blanchard streets. *

—The telephone is the great educator in simple, pungent, colloquial English. No man can make a set speech to a telephone and get it listened to at the other end. He must say his say quick, and at the same time treat the girl at the central office, Trounce Alley, in a diplomatic and polite manner.

—Messrs. Hess Brothers, of Sistowal, Ont., who have shipped a large quantity of furniture to this province have received an order from the Canadian Pacific Railway Company to furnish the immense summer hotel which the company is building at Banff Springs. The order covers the furniture for the entire building, and will probably reach $8,000 or $10,000.

The Reservoir Level.

His Worship Mayor Fell has instructed City Surveyor Leech to take the level of the Pandora street reservoir and report to the Council at its next meeting.

The Story of Metlakahtla.

The N. Y. *Sun* says, "here are materials for another Evangeline," told in a straightforward manner, with copious illustrations. Read both sides of the story. Price, $1.75. B. C. Stationery Company. *

A Rumor Denied.

Assistant Manager Wainwright, of the Grand Trunk, denies that his company is seeking privileges with a view to open up a line through the Rockies, and to connect with the Red River Valley Road. The rumor, he says, is made out of whole cloth.

Just Out.

I Haven't for a Long Time, (song.)
Dream of Summer Night, (song.)
Boys in Blue, (song.)
Jackets O' Blue, (sailor song.)
Swinging, (waltz.)
At Lombard's Music Store.

The Mission.

The redemptorist priests are holding daily meetings in the pro-Cathedral on View street. Last evening the Cathedral was crowded and the services were very impressive. The redemptorist Fathers are fluent speakers. They will deliver instructions morning and evening during this week.

Victoria House.

The undersigned having leased his store to Messrs. Shears & Page, must clear out the balance of his stock in the next few days. The trade is invited to inspect. It is respectfully requested that all accounts due shall be paid on or before the 15th of August.

* William Denny.

Accident.

Mr. A. G. Day, foreman in Mr. Weiler's factory, received a letter yesterday informing him that his brother, a young man well known in this city, had sustained serious injuries through falling from a building in Eugene City, Oregon. His arm was fractured in three places and a number of ribs were broken.

P. O. Home.

The following donations were received for the month of July: Mr. King, a drive for the children on two occasions; Mr. Payne, cutting children's hair; Mr. Bridges, milk; Mr. Andean, milk and rhubarb; Mr. Shopland, shoulder of lamb; Mrs. Denny, clothing; Mrs. Barnard, sack of clothing.

He Don't Know Any Better.

Calgary *Tribune*: "Mr. F. S. Stimson has just returned from a trip through British Columbia. Fred is not much struck with that country and says High River is quite good enough for him. While there he met a party who had just purchased a thousand head of Indian ponies which he purposes taking to Manitoba."

Obituary.

Mrs. Mary Batchelor, mother of Messrs William and Job Batchelor, (the latter a resident of New Westminster) died after a long and painful illness at the residence of the former this morning. Deceased came to Victoria with her son William eight years ago, and has been a resident of this city ever since.

Accident in Rogers Pass.

A bridge carpenter named Storey, formerly of Picton, Nova Scotia, fell off a bridge near Rogers Pass on Monday and rolled down a slope, some forty feet into the stream below, sustaining a fracture of the skull and other injuries. He was brought to the hospital at Donald where he now lies in a very critical condition.

The Opium Case.

Officials in San Francisco, says a press dispatch of the 29th, state with reference to the dispatch from Victoria to the effect that a gigantic scheme for smuggling opium over the Northern frontier as bonded baggage, a passenger accompanying the same to make the deception complete, has been exposed, that no baggage has been bonded at this port as described in the telegram. They are satisfied that no such shipments can occur without the collusion of some customs officers, or by a system of substitution and use of counterfeit seals.

Important.

The goods damaged by water in consequence of the *fire* in the Arcade building will be sold at private sale commencing on Tuesday at Spencer's Arcade. Brussels Carpets, Tapestry Carpet, Felt and Hemp Carpet, Rope Matting, Kidderminster and Three-ply Carpets, Hearthrugs, Mats.

Men's and Boys' Hats, Caps, Ties, Gloves, Shirts, Socks, Underwear; also the goods damaged by the smoke. All goods will be marked in plain figures and sold for cash only. *

Musical Convention.

The R. B. George company are evidently doing a good work for our people in Victoria. Yesterday afternoon and evening the meetings of the musical convention were held in the Pandora street Presbyterian Church; fifty names have been enrolled. Our church choirs will compare favorable with other choirs, still there is room for improvement, and no better opportunity has ever been offered for instruction. The R. B. George Co. and chorus class, with 50 little ladies in a doll brigade, will give a grand concert in Victoria Theatre, Saturday evening of this week. All should attend.

Vancouver and Edinburgh.

Now-a-days we hear much about the acreage area of new and rising cities. Instances are given of such cities as Winnipeg, Emerson, Brandon, Moberley—which, by the way, never existed but on paper—and other places rendered notorious by real estate booms. If we are not mistaken the acreage of Vancouver is about 6,000 acres. The acreage of Edinburgh is stated at 6,002, and the length of the streets 130 miles. There are 42,413 inhabited houses. Fifty constables are employed in special duties, 433 in ordinary duties. The total cost of the police is £43,049, but £1,982 is received for special services.

Black and Tan Cigars.

The Thames Championship.

By cablegram from England the news has come to hand that the most important boat race of the year in England, for the championship of the Thames, (Wingfield sculls) has been won easily, by 35 seconds, by Mr. Guy Nickalls, of Pembroke College, Oxford, one of the Oxford University eight this year. Mr. Nickalls is a brother of Mrs. Baillie-Grohman, now residing in this city.

We Said So.

Word has been received in this city of the marriage of Mr. W. E. Osterhout, the genial proprietor of the Brunswick Hotel of this city, at Wellington, Prince Edward County, Ont., on the 21st ult. The happy couple are on their way to this city *via* New York and overland to San Francisco. At the time of his departure for the east The Times hinted that a double ticket would be required for the return trip.

Business is Business.

The Melbourne *Argus* says: "There is no objection at all to abandoning the present San Francisco contract for a Canadian service. On the contrary, Australia ought to make a financial sacrifice to promote the change—a change which means an American route through British territory; but on the other hand, we cannot afford to check the development of the Cape and Canal routes, which are giving us the magnificent new vessels of the Peninsular and Oriental and Orient lines. Sentiment is sentiment, and we value the Canadian-Australian sentiment highly. But business is business."

The Mexico's Cargo.

Says a press dispatch, to the eastern journals, of last Friday, from San Francisco: The Canadian Pacific managed to secure about 150 tons of eastern freight out of this city for shipment by the Mexico, which sailed for Victoria to-day. Shipments include the following, which is fairly illustrative of the business taken by the foreign line out of California territory; for Chicago, 160 barrels of salmon and 842 boxes and 348 sacks of dried fruit; for Boston, 310 barrels of salmon; for New York, 723 boxes of dried fruit; for St. Louis, 30,100 pounds of beans; for Sioux City, Iowa, 30,657 pounds of sugar.

Another Steam Collier.

Walter S. Moore, of San Francisco, cabled his agent in that city a few days since that he had purchased the steamer Emilius, 2100 tons burden, no price was stated. The vessel is 250 feet over all, 36 feet 5 inches beam, and was built at Sunderland in 1884. The vessel is schooner-rigged, has two compound condensing engines, and registered on a trial trip a speed of 12 knots an hour. She will take an assorted cargo at Liverpool for San Pedro about August 25th. She will be rechristened the Southern California on her arrival here, and will be used as a collier between British Columbia and San Pedro.

Railway Notes.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company earnings and expenses for June, 1887, were: Gross earnings, $1,059,507; working expenses, $670,803; net profits, $488,703. In June, 1886, there was a net profit of $376,449, and for six months ending June 30, 1887, figures are as follows: Gross earnings, $4,728,793; working expenses, $3,787,456; net profits, $941,337. For six months ending 30th June, 1886, there was a net profit of $1,293,615.

All the overland lines are working for Grand Army travel to St. Louis. Tickets to that city and return are being sold at $67.50. One of the roads will give a free side trip to Salt Lake City, going out by way of Denver and returning by way of Omaha and the Union Pacific.

"Kentucky Smile" chewing tobacco is the finest tobacco manufactured, and will last longer than cheap tobacco. J. B. Pace Tobacco Co., Richmond, Va. *

The Minister of the Interior.

A dispatch from Donald yesterday announces that the Hon. Thos. White and party arrived there from Banff that evening and left by the regular train this (Tuesday) morning for Vancouver, where it is expected they will arrive on Thursday morning and this city the same evening. Accompanying Mr. White is his wife and Miss Bella White. Mr. C. H. Hosmer, Superintendent of the C. P. R. telegraph, is also one of the party. Mr. White will arrange land matters at Kamloops, Westminster and other points, at each of which places he will remain a few days. Nanaimo will also be visited. Mrs. and Miss White will remain in Victoria for some time. At New Westminster Mr. Hosmer parts company with Mr. White and will go overland to San Francisco inspecting the postal telegraph system.

"Escort" and "Kentucky Smile" chewing tobaccos are especially put up for Pacific Coast trade by J. B. Pace Tobacco Co., Richmond, Va. *

Cobble Hill Stone.

By advertisement in another column it will be observed that Messrs. Mortimer & Innes are prepared to deliver stone in rough, dressed, or partly so, to builders, contractors and others either in this or any other city in the province. This stone will unquestionably become a very popular and profitable one for parties building. Since its discovery it has been subjected to the severest possible test by chemicals and other processes. Not a particle of scales could be discovered or wearing away in weight. That it will become general for foundation purposes goes without saying. It can be delivered and laid much cheaper than can brick, whilst the lasting qualities are not to be compared. Such, at all events, is the opinion of those competent to judge. It is of the same formation and quality as is the Craigleith gray sandstone, of which the Scott monument, Princess street, Edinburgh, is built, and which has withstood all atmospheric influences and variations for many years. Give the firm a call and examine the samples on hand.

Just try a piece of "Escort," or "Kentucky Smile" chewing tobacco and you will be satisfied they are fine. Sold everywhere. *

Cricket on the Mainland.

A cricket match was played on the recreation ground, Vancouver, on Saturday last between teams representing Canada and the Old Country. A large number of spectators were present to witness the game and evinced a lively interest in it throughout. The Old Countrymen won by an innings and twenty-two runs. The Canadians went first to the wickets but could do nothing against the bowling of Clinton, who got seven wickets for eleven runs with the exception of Kana, who got twelve runs in good style. The Old Countrymen going in to bat lost three wickets for five runs, but when Nelson and Garrioch got together they put a different face on the game and completely tired out the bowlers. Nelson played a splendid innings of 32 before he was caught out. Garrioch played careful for his seven. The innings closed for fifty-nine runs. Kana and Schofield bowled well. On the Canadians going in a second time they were all dismissed for nine runs. They could do nothing with the bowling of Clinton and Prenter, the latter's analysis being grand—7 overs, 8 maidens, 5 runs, 6 wickets. Score: Canadians, 1st innings, 27; 2nd innings, 9; Old Country, 1st innings, 59.

Tony Cigars.

RANKS THINING OUT.

Another Old and Esteemed Pioneer Passes Away.

For some days back it has been known that Major Ronald J. McDonell was so seriously ill that little or no hope for his recovery was held out by his medical attendants. Gradually his sands of life began to scatter, and at 4:30 yesterday afternoon, without a struggle, surrounded by his wife and relatives, he breathed his last, surrendering his spirit to the God who gave it. The event although expected created a general feeling of sympathy for the family of the deceased. With the death of Major McDonell another of the ancient land marks of Victoria disappeared, for few citizens were better known or more highly esteemed amongst his fellow citizens than the subject of this memoir. He was third son of Capt. John McDonell, who retired from the army at the close of the Peninsular war in consequence of ill health; and a great grand son of the Macdonald of Kepoch, who was beheaded after the famous battle of Culloden, and the last of the race of the great and mighty clans of the North and Western Isles who controlled and commanded an army of their own. Major McDonell was a nephew of the late Admiral Sir James Gordon, for many years Governor of Greenwich Hospital. He received his commission in the army in 1832, having graduated from Sandhurst. He sold out in 1840 as captain in the 28th regiment, in order that he might devote his attention to the business of sheep ranching in Australia. For many years he was police magistrate of Maitland, N. S. W., and subsequently held various appointments under the government in the colony of New Zealand under his friend and college mate Sir George Grey. The Major was twice married; his first wife being a sister of Capt. McLean who for many years was Supt. of Convict's colony, in New South Wales, known as Van Dieman's land. He died many years ago. His second wife, and she who now mourns the loss of so devoted a husband, companion and friend as he has proved himself to be, is a daughter of the late William Wilmington, Yaevil, Sommersetshire, England. He leaves no children of his own behind him to mourn his loss. His step-children were as dear and devoted to him as it were possible for them to be were they his own. The California gold excitement of 1849 brought him to this coast. In California his success was indifferent. The breaking out of the Fraser River gold fever of 1858 brought him hither to Victoria, and here he has remained ever since. Mr. Alex. Phillips, of this city, possibly knew him longer than any other man living, having been personally acquainted with him since 1832, over 55 years. The news of his death will be received with regret by all who knew him. By nature, disposition and manner he was, in every sense of the term, a perfect gentleman. In his youthful days he spent much of his time in Glenlynn, Perthshire, Scotland. His birth place was in the Shetland Isles, from which his parents removed whilst he was in his tender years. In this city, after his arrival, he was clerk for J. D. Pemberton, Esq., then a justice and stipendiary magistrate. Deceased was by connection a Roman Catholic. He was also a Mason in good standing order with the craft in this city, being amongst the eldest of the brethren of the mystic tie. To-morrow afternoon, at 3 o'clock, the remains will be conveyed to their last resting place from the Masonic Temple, Douglas and Fisgard streets, under the auspices of the Masonic fraternity of the city, and to which an invitation is extended to all members of the craft, whether residents or sojourners, to attend.

The military will also take part in the obsequies. The following "District Order" has been issued:

Headquarters, Military Dist., No. 11, }
Victoria, 1st August, 1887. }

In consequence of the death of Major McDonell, district paymaster and superintendent of stores of this military district, the troops at headquarters are requested to parade at the drill shed at 8 p. m. on Tuesday 2nd inst., preparatory to forming a military escort at the funeral, which is to take place on Wednesday the 3rd inst.

R. Wolfenden, Lieut.-Col.,
A. D. D. G. Mil. D.

From B. C. to Palestine.

The lecture delivered last night in the Pandora Street Methodist Church by the Rev. Hugh Johnston, B.D., of Toronto, was a most instructive literary treat. The subject chosen was "slices of travel from the mountains of British Columbia to those that are about Jerusalem." The chair was occupied by the Rev. J. E. Starr, who introduced the reverend lecturer to the audience. He gave a most vivid description of his travels on the continent of Europe and in the holy land every inch of which to the Christian was hallowed ground, especially that in the vicinity of Jerusalem, the city of the Great King David. He compared the scenery in the mountains of this province to that of Switzerland and our skies to those of Italy. Reference was also made to the former visit by the late Rev. Dr. Morley Punshon and himself to Victoria several years ago. He was pleased to observe the progress the country was making and hoped to hear of its future onward course being greater than ever. He paid a graceful tribute to the energy and perseverance of the promoters of the Canadian Pacific Railway. From first to last he kept his audience spell bound with his graphic and beautiful word painting of the various places and scenes to be encountered in a trip to the Holy Land. No abridged report of the lecture can convey to our readers a correct conception of the instructiveness of its matter or the beauty of the language employed, the ease and grace with which the reverend lecturer handled his subject and for which at the close he was accorded a hearty vote of thanks moved by Mr. John Jessop, seconded by the Rev. Dr. Reid.

Free Concerts.

The free concerts by the Wizard Oil Company at the corner of Douglas and Yates streets, have been attended nightly by many hundreds of people. The lady and gentlemen composing the company, and even the private wagon in which they ride, have an air of respectability about them which at once inspires confidence and commands the respectful attention of the populace. They are all excellent singers, and their *repertoire* of songs seems to be as inexhaustible as are the merits of the oil or the ability of the agreeable little doctor to expound its virtues. We have attended many dollar concerts not half so pleasing or edifying. The whole entertainment is well worth hearing, and is a thoroughly gentlemanly exposition of the beauties of music, medicine, human anatomy and Wizard Oil. We believe the company will remain here for the balance of the week, so that music and Wizard Oil may be had up to Saturday night.

The Place for Bargains.

J. Sehl has just opened, in addition to his well assorted stock of Furniture, Carpets, Oil Cloth and Linoleum, a complete line of Crockery, Glassware, Lamps, and Bar Glasses, the finest ever offered in the country, at remarkably low prices, having arrived before the advance in freight rates.

"Escort" plug chewing tobacco will cost you no more than inferior tobacco. Chew "Escort." *

ON THE WING.

Movements of People We Know and have Read of.

Mr. T. E. Ladner, M. P. P., is in the city.

Mr. A. J. McColl, barrister, New Westminster, was amongst the arrivals from the mainland last night.

Mr. H. Harris, brother of Coun. Dennis R. Harris, arrived in the city from England yesterday.

Hon. Thos. White and party passed Donald on Monday. He will reach Vancouver or New Westminster on Thursday.

Reginald W. Nuttall, of Victoria, B. C., says a San Francisco dispatch to the *Oregonian*, who has been on a tour of observation in the south, has returned here.

The Rev. Dr. Cochrane has reached his home from his visit to this province. Since he left Brantford he traveled upwards of 8,000 miles.

Ex-Mayor Harrison, of Chicago, is on his way to this coast over the C. P. R. He is making a tour of the world. He will take passage on the Port Augusta at this city for China.

Mr. T. G. Nickilen, formerly editor of Whatcom *Reveille*, and well known in Washington Territory and Kansas as a newspaper man, also as Chief Clerk of the last Territorial Legislature, was married last week to Miss Flora Axton, of Whatcom.

SUNDAY CLOSING.

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—It seems to us, that we in this city are periodically afflicted with importations coming from the lord knows where, and after some time going where nobody seems to care, whose *bete noir* is the liquor dealers of this city in particular. Whether it is the itinerant whose chief object is passing round the hat, or a delegated moralist from some synod in the eastern provinces, their role is the same—an attack on a respectable portion of this community, a portion the majority of whom, are the most law abiding and pushing men in the place. * * * The petition relative to Sunday closing was hawked round, I should judge, (because it is generally women of the type, found in the front of any movement of the kind) by sour visaged and childless, soured perchance through the lack of those domestic ties known to the happier wives and mothers of our glorious province.

We venture to say that out of the 900 signatures to the petition relative to Sunday closing two-thirds of them are the signatures of women and children, or of men who conservatively should not have the least influence in the city. We care not if they close up forever every business mart in the city and make it as silent as a tomb at midnight, if it is a just thing to do. But this principle we battle for, that it is contrary to the spirit of the age, that any man, or set of men, shall dictate to others their own particular way of observing any one day of the week. What, forsooth, if we crave a glass of beer on Sunday? Because our neighbor, in his pharisaical extreme of thinking, deems it a sin, must his narrow and fanatical theories govern and coerce us. The laws that govern our modern civilization are so framed for individual preservation that to indulge to extremes in any one thing till that indulgence becomes a nuisance is punishable by those laws. We wonder if these strainers at gnats ever think that they themselves are nuisances there is no necessity here, neither do we desire any approach to the laws of the old puritan fathers that were at once the most tyrannical and the most inquisitorial of any that ever cursed a community. If there are any here desiring such a regime, let them seek a more congenial locality.

One Thousand of Us.

OUT WITH THE TRUTH.

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—It is said that the Provincial Secretary is unjustly blamed for the selection of a most inconvenient site for the new ward school. I have it on good authority that he previously consulted the late chairman and secretary of the Trustee Board, (Mr. Higgins,) Mr. Hayward, Dr. Milne, and other trustees before the selection. If this be true, the gentlemen referred to are acting in a very cowardly spirit in allowing Mr. Robson to bear all the odium of having bought the site through Mr. Heisterman, a land agent, who is also Secretary to the Board.

Justice.

Family Jars.

A family feud at Esquimalt on Sunday night came near ending seriously. Cause—jealousy for cause; result—a row in which a gun might have been used and was taken in hand for that purpose. Better counsels, however, prevailed.

From M. Sullivan, M. D., President of the Medical Association of Canada: Kingston, Oct. 19, 1883.—From conversations with Mr. Laurance, examination of his accurate, varied and highly finished glasses, together with observation of cases benefitted, I have pleasure in strongly recommending him as a gentleman worthy of entire confidence. M. Sullivan, M. D. B. Laurance's spectacles sold only by D. E. Campbell, Fort street. *

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NEW TO-DAY.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Members of Vancouver and Quadra Lodge, No. 2, F. & A. M., B. C. R., are hereby notified to attend the funeral of our late brother R. J. McDonell, from the Masonic Temple, TO-MORROW (Wednesday), August 3, 1887, at 2:30 p. m.

By order of the W. M.
au2 1t MUNROE MILLER, Secretary.

SUITS, SUITS, SUITS!
PANTS, PANTS, PANTS!
TWEEDS, TWEEDS, TWEEDS!

IN ENDLESS VARIETY, AT
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CITY BOOT AND SHOE STORE,
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Clearing Out Sale of Boots and Shoes.

To save trouble in moving, our whole Stock is offered at Cost for the next Thirty Days.

Our stock of TRUNKS and VALISES BELOW COST, on account of not having room in the new store. The whole thing to be cleared out. TERMS STRICTLY CASH.

Now is the time. We have the largest and finest line in British Columbia, and next month we will meet our friends, patrons and the public generally in our new store on Government Street, now occupied by Shears & Page.

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Spring Tweeds
AND
SUPERB TROUSERINGS
JUST RECEIVED.

A. GREGG & SON,
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Yates Street, - - - Opposite Langley.
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Boots and Shoes made to order. Good value for your money.

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DISPATCH A STEAMER
Every Saturday for San Francisco
Leaving the outer wharf at One o'clock p.m.

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Shippers must notify us when room for freight is required.
No Freight received after 6 p. m. Friday, 5th July.

WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
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Just Arrived.
A CONSIGNMENT OF FINE AMERICAN
Buggies and Phætons,
By the Celebrated Makers,
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For Sale at Reasonable Prices.
G. BYRNES,
au2 tf Fort and Langley Streets.

NOTICE.

From and after this date FINLAYSON BRIDGE will be CLOSED FOR TRAFFIC until repairs are completed.

By order.
JAMES D. ROBINSON,
C. M. C.
City Hall, August 2, 1887. au2 tf

BUILDING STONE
Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway.

Builders, contractors, or those about to build, are notified that the undersigned are prepared to deliver, in any part of the city,

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(LIMITED.)
ASSESSMENT No. 15.

Notice is hereby given that an assessment of three cents per share has been levied upon the members of the above company, payable at the company's Office, Langley Street, Victoria, on or before the 15th day of August, 1887, from and after which date all shares on which the said assessment shall then remain unpaid shall be deemed delinquent, subject to interest and costs, and will be dealt with according to law.

By order of the Directors.
GEO. A. SARGISON,
Secretary.
Dated 29th July, 1887. aug1-1&W2d

NOTICE.

All persons having claims against the Empire Brewery are requested to send a statement of their accounts to the undersigned at once.

JOHN DECKER,
Jubilee Saloon,
Johnson Street.
Victoria, July 28, 1887. jy28 6t

ST. ANN'S CONVENT.

The above Institution will re-open on Monday, the 8th of August next, both on Humboldt and View Streets. jy30 6t